

## Message Text

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FM SECSTATE WASHDC  
TO AMEMBASSY JIDDA

C O N F I D E N T I A L STATE 053185

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: BEXP, SA

SUBJECT: AUTOMATIC TELEPHONE PROJECT (ATP)

REF: JIDDA 1012

1. FOR YOUR INFORMATION AND GUIDANCE.
2. CAGNE RECEIVED INFO TO EFFECT PHILIPS WILL NOT BE AWARDED SUBJECT PROJECT. ORIGINAL NEGOTIATIONS ARE TO BE TERMINATED AND FIVE COMPANIES WILL BE INVITED TO TENDER PROJECT. THOSE FIRMS TO BE INVITED ARE ATT, BELL OF CANADA, ITT, PHILIPS AND ERICSON. SUBSTANCE FOREGOING HAS BEEN PASSED TO ATT AND ITT.
3. WE WOULD APPRECIATE CORROBORATION OF INFO AND/OR ADDITIONAL EMBASSY INPUT.  
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## Message Attributes

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